

Claim Listing:

Claims 1-40 (cancelled).

41. (new) A method for aiding a person seeking to attract attention at socially interactive events comprising:

(a) providing said person seeking to attract attention at socially interactive events with a flexible frameless eye patch with an aperture therein sufficient to enable said person to see through the aperture, and with a first adhesive layer on a first side of said flexible frameless eye patch for affixing said flexible frameless eye patch to said person's face to maintain said eye patch in place during vigorous social activity and having a second adhesive layer opposite said first layer on a second side of said flexible frameless eye patch adjacent said aperture for supporting an optical element upon said flexible frameless eye patch;

(b) placing an attention getting message of a type that invites social interaction and that is not a trademark or logo upon the second side of said flexible frameless eye patch; and

(c) mounting an optical element over said aperture and upon the second side of said flexible frameless eye patch.

42. (new) The method of claim 41 wherein the attention getting message is a comic saying or flirtatious conversation piece message.

43. (new) The method of claim 41 wherein said optical element is an old discarded corrective eyeglass lens, for creating a new use of said old discarded corrective eyeglass lens.

44. (new) The method of claim 42 wherein said optical element is an old discarded corrective eyeglass lens, for creating a new use of said old discarded corrective eyeglass lens.

45. (new) The method of claim 41 wherein step (b) is performed by attaching a label bearing said message upon second side of said flexible frameless eye patch.

46. (new) The method of claim 42 wherein step (b) is performed by attaching a label bearing said message upon second side of said flexible frameless eye patch.

47. (new) The method of claim 43 wherein step (b) is performed by attaching a label bearing said message upon second side of said flexible frameless eye patch.

48. (new) The method of claim 44 wherein step (b) is performed by attaching a label bearing said message upon second side of said flexible frameless eye patch.

49. (new) A method for aiding a person seeking to attract attention at socially interactive events who may be self-conscious about wearing conventional eyeglasses comprising:

(a) providing said person seeking to attract attention at said socially interactive events with a flexible frameless eye patch having an attention getting device thereon and having an aperture therein sufficient to enable said person to see through the aperture, and with a first adhesive layer on a first side of said flexible frameless eye patch for affixing said flexible frameless eye patch to said person's face to maintain said eye patch in place during vigorous social activity and having a second adhesive layer opposite said first layer on a second side of said flexible frameless eye patch adjacent said aperture for supporting an optical element upon said flexible frameless eye patch; and

(b) mounting an old discarded corrective eyeglass lens of said person upon said second adhesive layer and over said aperture, for creating a new use of said old discarded corrective eyeglass lens.

50. (new) An eye patch for aiding a person seeking to attract attention at socially interactive events consisting essentially of :

(a) a flexible frameless eye patch having an attention getting device thereon and having an aperture therein sufficient to enable said person to see through the aperture, and having a first adhesive layer on a first side of said flexible frameless eye patch for affixing said flexible frameless eye patch to said person's face to maintain said eye patch in place during vigorous physical social activity and having a second adhesive layer on a second side of said flexible frameless eye patch adjacent said aperture for supporting an optical element upon said flexible frameless eye patch; and

(b) an old discarded corrective eyeglass lens of said person affixed upon said second adhesive layer over said aperture, for creating a new use of said old discarded corrective eyeglass lens.

51. (new) The eye patch of claim 50 wherein an attention getting message is affixed to said second layer adhesive layer and comprises a comic saying or flirtatious conversation piece message.

52. (new) The eye patch of claim 50 that is brightly colored to attract attention.

53. (new) The eye patch of claim 51 that is brightly colored to attract attention.